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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. Of: SHIRAKAWA et al.  
Serial No.: 10/077,639  
Filed: February 15, 2002  
For: Optical Disk Device  
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**AMENDMENT D**

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to an Office Action mailed July 6, 2006.

Please amend the Application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

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